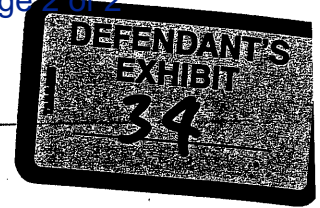


## EXHIBIT 5



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January 3, 2000

Reference: Johnny Sasser

Dear Judge Smithan:

Mr. Johnny Sasser, in my medical opinion, received a work related injury on or about September 8, 1995. I reached this opinion after several office visits and examinations. I do not believe that Mr. Sasser has anything to gain from a neurologist examination at this time. Although, I would be happy to schedule him a visit or visits. In my opinion, Mr. Sasser's approximate medical expenses should be \$10,000 per year. I could elaborate on the nature of his injury if necessary, so if more information is needed please let me know.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Barry McGahan".

Barry McGahan, M.D.

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